

NEW BANKING SCHEME.

A Great Corporation Nearly Ready for Business.

THE OBJECT OF THE INSTITUTION.

A comparatively new field of operations to be opened up—The Special Privileges Granted by the Charter—Failure of a New York Bank—A Decision of Interest to South Dakota Farmers—Business Notes.

NEW YORK, May 15.—The Universal Association Bank and Trust company will begin its operations in this city before the summer ends. Officers have been elected, capital subscribed, and applications for the incorporation of not less than \$400,000 in bonds have already come up for consideration. To avoid the notoriety incident to obtaining a new charter in this state the organizers went to Kentucky, where they applied to the legislature for the incorporation of the "American Bank, Trust, and Guarantee company." It was specified by the charter that the directors should have power to change the name at their pleasure, and one of the first official acts was to take advantage of this privilege.

An Extraordinary Charter. The capital stock of the American company is fixed at \$500,000 in cash, but the clause was inserted that the board of directors should have the power to increase this capital from time to time, and to such an extent as they might deem best for the interests of the company. This charter is said by some of the gentlemen interested to be the only one of its kind in the United States and to be extraordinary in the special privileges it grants. It provides that in addition to the ordinary shares or capital stock the directors may issue from time to time, to an extent not to exceed one-fifth of the number of ordinary shares, certificates to be known as "founders' shares," which shall have no designated value and shall form no part of the capital stock.

A Liberal Section. These founders' shares may be issued for such purposes as the directors may deem proper. A portion of the annual profits may be set aside for these shares, but no dividend can be paid upon them until at least 5 per cent. has been paid upon the ordinary stock. Probably the most liberal section of the charter is one providing that stockholders shall be liable to the company's creditors only to the extent of any unpaid subscriptions they may have made, and that their private property shall not otherwise be liable for the corporate debts, and the paid up shares are unassessable.

To Open a New Field. The great object of the company is to open a comparatively new field of financial operations which can be developed to enormous proportions. It intends to guarantee the interest on railway bonds. The idea is that when a road is in course of construction it usually has to sell its bonds at about 70 per cent. of their full value in order to obtain money for construction, and then has to pay high interest on the full amount. The Universal company will guarantee this interest, and take from 10 to 15 per cent. of the aggregate amount guaranteed for its compensation. The bank can then dispose of the guaranteed bonds at a large advance.

COULD PAY 12 CENTS ON \$1. Something New in the Method of Bucket-Shop Failures.

NEW YORK, May 15.—Only those inside the bucket-shop circle in Wall street know just how a bucket-shop proprietor fails. The usual method has been for him to quietly slip out of the back door with the "bank" in his pocket, leaving the customers inside to whistle. When Doran, of 63 New street, started to leave his bucket-shop he casually announced that he wanted to see a man up town. This aroused lively suspicions, and the patrons didn't want him to see anybody but themselves. He convinced them that what was left of the bank was all right, and that he had left it behind. Then he was permitted to go on his way.

A Look at the Books. He returned in a couple of hours and announced that he hadn't seen his man and couldn't meet his obligations. He proposed that six of the old patrons go over his books and announce how much was left in the "bank." For an hour they puzzled over the books, and then the spokesman announced that Doran could pay 12 cents on the dollar. This was received with hilarious cheers. It was so different from the usual method of the bucket-shop proprietor in settling with his patrons that Doran was voted to be a good fellow.

IT IS NON-NEGOTIABLE. A Note Which Contains Two Rates of Interest—Joyful News.

PIERCE, S. D., May 15.—The supreme court has rendered a decision of general interest to farmers in this state, as it affects the validity of thousands of dollars worth of notes. The Marsh-Whitney Blunder company borrowed of one Hegeler, \$20,000, and gave as collateral a batch of notes which, though bearing 10 per cent. interest, had the further clause attached that they should bear only 8 per cent. if paid when due. It then turned out that the notes were no good whatever, but Hegeler claimed to be a bona fide holder of the notes by reason of his ignorance of the defects when the notes were taken as collateral before. The supreme court now affirms Judge Tripp's decision that a note containing two rates of interest is non-negotiable, and that Hegeler consequently took the notes subject to any equities between the original parties. The decision relieves all farmers who have given these notes of the necessity of paying for worthless machines.

Will Denounce His Tracks. PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 15.—The Pennsylvania company has decided to double track the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago railway from Pittsburgh to Chicago before the world's fair opens. The work will require the expropriation of several million dollars and the employment of thousands of men to complete it in the time specified, but the company is confident of accomplishing it. This movement has been discussed for years past, but the enormous expense involved has always caused a postponement.

The Advertising Dentist. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 15.—The dentist who belongs to the Illinois State Dental society do not believe in the vulgar practice of advertising and took occasion to

give the advertising dentist a good raking. Dr. S. F. Duncan of Joliet read a paper on the subject. He thought that advertising lowered the dignity of the profession and fostered quacks. About a score of members expressed themselves in a similar vein. Nobody arose to champion the cause of the advertising dentist, and the general conclusion was that such a dentist should not be recognized as a member of the profession.

Ordered to Pay the Money. NEW YORK, May 15.—Judge Wallace of the United States circuit court, in the suit of David Armstrong, the receiver of the Fidelity National bank of Cincinnati, against the Chemical National bank, has entered a decree ordering the payment by the defendant to the complainant of the sum of \$271,808. The suit was brought May 31, 1878, to recover the balance due on collaterals given for an unpaid loan in excess of the amount loaned.

A Boston Failure. BOSTON, May 15.—B. F. Straine, a prominent operator here, has assigned. Liabilities, \$300,000; assets estimated to be sufficient to liquidate the liabilities in full. He has resigned the presidency and directorship of the Commercial Telegraph company.

Liabilities \$200,000, Assets Nothing. PHILADELPHIA, May 15.—The large bucket-shop of C. J. Fischer, formerly of New York, has suspended. Liabilities probably \$200,000. No assets.

MISTAKEN DIAGNOSIS. A Young Woman Unjustly Accused and Forced to Marry.

DAVENPORT, Iowa, May 15.—A strange case that has just developed here, and has just developed here, is the case of a young woman named Bertha Wiese, the daughter of Henry Wiese, a wealthy German farmer, living about five miles from Davenport, was widely known and much sought by the young gentlemen of her neighborhood, but her father was shown to Gustav Eckermann, a neighbor and a deservingly young man. There was no engagement between them, but they were quite often together and there seemed to be some sentiment on both sides.

Protests Were of No Effect. Her parents became convinced that improper relations had existed between the two and the daughter was told that she must marry Eckermann. She begged with the most heartrending importunities that this be not forced upon her, but her parents were inexorable. The magistrate was summoned and the wedding was set for the next day. The girl, however, never appeared. It was then ascertained that she had fled to her father's home, and she was there, but her father refused to submit to the sacrifice demanded of him, but, seeing that the girl was overborn by the tyrannies of her parents, and caring too much for her to desert her, he consented and the ceremony proceeded.

Shouldn't Jump at Conclusions. After it was over the unwilling groom went again to his home and his tearful bride remained with her mother. Soon after the wedding ceremony was solemnized, and a physician was called. An operation was performed upon the young lady, at Mercy hospital in this city a day or so ago, by which she was relieved of a tumor of twenty pounds' weight. She is now on the way to recovery, but her parents are broken at the injustice done her. The marriage will probably be annulled.

Are Texas Courts Invalid? SAN ANTONIO, Texas, May 15.—The celebrated Dick Duncan habeas corpus case came up in the United States district court Wednesday. Duncan was tried and found guilty of the murder of a family of campers named Williams. His petition says that the criminal code and the mode of procedure are invalid, because the bills creating them under the constitution of 1870, were never properly read and passed by the legislature, consequently any state court now sitting in Texas is illegal. The habeas corpus therefore, the validity of the entire criminal code of the state of Texas.

Disastrous Freight Wreck. BUFFALO, N. Y., May 15.—Thirty-six freight cars, the caboose, baggage car and engine were wrecked three miles east of Hembury, on the Buffalo and Southwestern division of the Erie. This is near the spot where the recent Lake Shore accident occurred. The cars were strewn in every direction and the engine on top of them. The track was badly damaged and traffic cannot be resumed until some time. Engineer Glair and Fireman Cronin escaped with slight injuries. The body of Albert Froehley was found under the wreck. He and two companions were stealing a ride.

Burned Four Thousand Books. SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 15.—Detective Pease burned Wednesday 4,000 books treating of the derivation of religious symbols from the lowest passions of mankind, which were to be issued by Henry A. Budington, a Spiritualistic publisher in this city. Archibald Comstock learned that these books were to be brought out, and notified District Attorney Hubbard of the fact. He was about to bring the matter to the notice of the grand jury to secure an indictment for publishing obscene literature, when Mr. Budington agreed to have the books destroyed.

Hundreds of Persons Poisoned. LONDON, May 15.—A case of wholesale poisoning has occurred in Wurzen, Saxony, which has created widespread excitement and alarm. Several hundred persons are affected and fifty or more of them, mostly children, are seriously ill. Investigation discloses the fact that the victims had eaten bread made of flour which had been ground in a leaden machine. Most of the flour was purchased from two dealers, whose stock has been seized and the authorities are conducting a searching examination of the flour in the hands of other dealers.

Germans and the Bennett Law. LA CROSSE, Wis., May 15.—The Galena district conference of German Methodist churches, convened at the court house of upper Illinois, southern Wisconsin and western Iowa, closed its annual session here and passed resolutions by a unanimous vote declaring themselves in favor of the Bennett law as to its general principles. They also resolved to assist in the re-issuance of the million dollar edition of the Bible from the schools.

Suffocated by Gas. WORCESTER, Mass., May 15.—The wife and daughter of President G. Stanley Hall of Clark university were found dead in their bedroom Sunday morning, having been accidentally suffocated by illuminating gas which had escaped during the night. President Hall is out of town. The family have resided here about a year, and Dr. Hall longer. The cause of the accident was a leaking gas burner with an electric lighting attachment.

FARMERS WANT RELIEF

They Ask That the Sub-Treasury Bill Be Passed.

ARGUMENTS OF MR. LIVINGSTONE

Before the Ways and Means Committee in Favor of the Pickler Bill—Members of the Farmers' Alliance on Hand to Hear the Address—The Day's Doings in the National Legislature—Capital City Briefs.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 15.—Congressmen from agricultural states and members of the Farmers' National Alliance crowded the ways and means committee room at the capitol to hear Mr. Livingstone, the national lecturer of the alliance expound his views on the Pickler bill for the establishment of sub-treasuries for the deposit of grain, oats, corn, tobacco and cotton. Mr. Livingstone said there need be no misapprehension concerning the objects of the alliance. It was not seeking to displace the ruling political parties. The sub-treasury bill had nothing to do with the tariff. The farmers asked that the sub-treasury bill be passed. Fifty-eight homes of farmers had been sold in Connecticut in one day this week. Relief was demanded and the farmers knew how to get it.

Would Kill the Bankruptcies. He quoted President Lincoln's prediction that corporations would be enthroned, that the property of the country would be concentrated, and that the republic itself could be overthrown. He thanked God that the last prediction had not come true. If congress refused to endorse the sub-treasury plan, he said, it should remove the restrictions hedging in the national banking system. The sub-treasury plan gave the farmer a chance to escape the speculation by allowing him to deposit his crops in the sub-treasuries at any time and secured him selling at stated seasons. If the sub-treasury bill were passed there would not be a bucket-shop left in the United States. There need be no fear that the bill would cause the farmers to form a trust.

Sixteen Million Would Do It. He did not favor a paternal government. The farmer would be satisfied if the high ways were opened to enterprise and energy. The paltry sum of \$10,000,000 would be sufficient to build all the sub-treasuries needed. Congress yearly appropriated large sums for river and harbor improvements that did not benefit the farmer and it could surely grant the sum asked for the farmers. In answer to a question of Mr. Flower, Mr. Livingstone said that the reason that the bill provided for a deposit of wheat, corn, oats, and cotton only, was that the other farm products were protected by a high tariff—75 per cent. on wool for instance. In conclusion he urged that the bill be brought into the house in some form whether reported favorably or adversely.

THE NATIONAL LEGISLATURE.

Rogers of Arkansas Rebukes Certain Nasty House Members.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 15.—In the house Thursday the senate bill to change the route of the Rock Creek railway company of the district of Columbia was read and passed. Rogers of Arkansas said that owing to the confusion he was unable to understand the reading of the bill, and that during the prayer, certain gentlemen had made so much noise that had they been in Arkansas they would have been arrested for disturbing a religious meeting. Atkinson remarked that the noise during prayer had come so much from the Democratic side as the Republican side.

The Tariff Bill. McKinley of Ohio reported a resolution providing that hereafter the house shall meet at 11 o'clock; that after the reading of the journal and the disposal of conference reports, the house shall go into committee of the whole on the tariff bill, that the bill shall be read through commencing with paragraph 11, and shall be open to amendment on any part of the bill following paragraph 11, and that on Wednesday next at 12 o'clock the bill with pending amendments shall be reported to the house.

The resolution was finally adopted—May 15, page 16. The discussion of the tariff bill was then resumed. The senate agreed to a resolution calling on the commissioners of the District of Columbia for information as to employment and payment of laborers on public works in the district, and whether they are required to work more than eight hours a day. Other business of a routine nature having been transacted the senate resumed consideration of the silver bill and Teller continued his argument.

The Pacific Refunding Bill. WASHINGTON CITY, May 15.—The joint Pacific railroad refunding bill has been ordered to be reported favorably by the house committee on Pacific railroads by a vote of 7 to 4. One member of the committee refused to commit himself on the bill. The bill agreed to covers the Union Pacific and Central Pacific railroads, the former being allowed to be refunded from rank with interest at 8 per cent., and the latter seven years with interest at 8 per cent.

Got \$10,000 for His Leg. NEW YORK, May 15.—In the court of common pleas Wednesday Angelo Geroni, aged 7 years, recovered a verdict of \$10,000 against the National Navigation company of Marseilles, for the loss of a leg. On May 15, 1888, the boy was a passenger with his parents on the steamship Cosmopolis. His foot caught in the rudder chains, and was so severely injured as to necessitate amputation of the knee.

Commander McCalla Suspended. WASHINGTON CITY, May 15.—Secretary Tracy has promulgated the findings and sentence of the court-martial in the case of Commander McCalla. The sentence of the court was "To be suspended from rank and duty for a period of three years, and to retain his present number on the list of commanders while so suspended." Secretary Tracy approved the sentence.

Presidential Postmasters. WASHINGTON CITY, May 15.—The president has sent to the senate the following nominations of postmasters: Ohio—J. P. Rieker, Upper Sandusky. Missouri—J. M. Robertson, Trenton; Joseph Walther, De Soto. Indiana—W. F. Vogt, Covington; Isaac Jenkins, Richmond. A. G. Jones, Butler. Kansas—George Ritchey, Leavenworth.

A \$10,000 Jose-Juan was recently dedicated in San Jose Chinatown.

PRESBYTERIANS IN SESSION.

Meeting of the General Assembly at Saratoga, N. Y.

SARATOGA, N. Y., May 15.—Not less than 1,500 persons crowded the seats, aisles, and galleries of the First Presbyterian church Thursday morning, when, at 11 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Herrick Johnson, of Chicago, made the initial prayer and opened the first meeting of the general Presbyterian assembly. The meeting was purely a praise and worship meeting. Dr. Johnson prayed eloquently for Divine guidance and blessing throughout the deliberations of the great body gathered from all parts of the United States, and asked God to be present with His helping hand.

A Lengthy Sermon. The hymn "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name" was then sung with wonderful volume, the entire congregation joining in with vigor. Dr. Patten, president of Princeton college, read the Scripture lesson and was followed in prayer by Rev. Howard Crosby, of New York. The Rev. William C. Roberts, D. D., of Chicago, the retiring moderator, then began his sermon, which ran from Luke XII, 43: "Unto whomsoever much is given, of him shall much be required." The sermon was very lengthy, occupying an hour and a half in delivery. At its conclusion the benediction was pronounced and the audience dispersed to meet again for the first business session at 3 p. m.

SHE FRACTURED HER SPINE.

A Woman at Philadelphia Recovers from a Broken Neck.

PHILADELPHIA, May 15.—Mrs. Mary Donohue, who broke her neck by a fall from a step-ladder last September, will soon be discharged as cured from the Pennsylvania hospital. The bony covering of the spinal chord was fractured and dislocated, but by some lucky freak the spinal chord itself was practically uninjured. At the hospital she had a heart-attack in bed, but when she saw that she could only keep the head covered by holding it up with her chin. The home has seemingly kept, and she now has but little trouble. A few days ago a paste-board apparatus was placed around her neck to keep any undue strain from the broken joint. She now walks around apparently as well as ever, and can go about whenever she chooses to ask for dismissal.

FLOURING MILL BURNED.

The Winona Mill Company's Immense Plant Entirely Destroyed.

WINONA, Minn., May 15.—A fire started in the fire room of the Winona Mill company's flouring mill, and destroyed the entire plant, including the mill and elevator. Total loss on the property is estimated at \$300,000, and may exceed that, insured for \$200,000. The mill was a fine building. There were about 25,000 bushels of wheat in the elevator and 1,200 barrels of flour in the mill. The company employed about 100 men. The mill had a capacity of 2,000 barrels, and was about the finest equipped building of the kind in the world.

ANOTHER MINE HORROR.

Twenty-five Men Entombed and No Way of Escape.

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., May 15.—The surface over Millott's mine at Ashley caved in Thursday morning. Twenty-five men are entombed in the mine. It is now thought all must perish, as there is no way of escape. Great excitement prevails. A large force is now digging to rescue the miners.

The Behring Sea Question.

OTTAWA, Ont., May 15.—The Behring sea negotiation, it is stated on undoubted authority, has reached the final stage of mere technicality and practical denial. While it will not be possible to formulate and publish the intended international convention for the regulation of the fishing industry in the North Pacific ocean and the waters adjacent thereto during the present season, the American and British negotiators have agreed upon the basis by which the necessary and proper regulations shall be framed, so that a full and satisfactory settlement of the controversy is assured.

Favors the Silver Bill.

LONDON, May 15.—Henry Chaplin, president of the board of agriculture, in a speech at the dinner of the Bankers' association Wednesday, said that he earnestly desired the passage of the American silver bill. He said that the action of America be followed by free coinage in Europe, he said, a further fall in prices would ensue with its accompanying evils.

A Critical Situation.

BILBAO, May 15.—The situation growing out of the miners' strike in this part of Spain becomes more critical with each succeeding day of its duration. The men are in a very angry mood and threaten to attack the residences of the mine proprietors. Military guards have been posted over the mines.

Killed by Hot Infant Daughter.

RICHMOND, Mo., May 15.—A 7-year old child of Mrs. Elizabeth Mitchell found an old rusty revolver in a bureau drawer, and, walking up to her mother, pointed the weapon at her and pulled the trigger. The bullet entered her mother's head, and the latter fell dead.

Gen. J. C. Black Ill.

CAIRO, May 15.—Gen. John C. Black, ex-commissioner of pensions, was in this city two days, laid up with rheumatism. He was unable to leave his room on account of his ailment, and was Wednesday carried on the steamer Arkansas City going to St. Louis.

Lincoln's Rebel Brother-in-Law.

RICHMOND, Va., May 15.—A portrait of Lieut. Todd, a brother of Mrs. Abraham Lincoln, who came to Virginia with the Confederate troops from Louisiana in 1861, has just been sold by a Richmond lady to the Libby Prison association of Chicago.

Killed by a Fall of Rock.

ASHLAND, Pa., May 15.—John Cubrick and Michael Vascini were instantly killed and Peter Vasco was seriously injured by a fall of rock in the tunnel which is being driven by A. C. Douglas at Park No. 1 colliery, near Park place.

Lumber Mills Destroyed.

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., May 15.—The mills of the West Coast Lumber Mill company and a large quantity of lumber were destroyed by fire. Loss \$50,000, insurance \$15,000.

Death of Brig. Gen. Davis.

NEW YORK, May 15.—Brig. Gen. Nelson H. Davis died suddenly Thursday morning after a visit to Governors Island. Apoplexy was the cause of the death.

AN AWFUL SPECTACLE.

Father, Mother and Son Brutally Butchered.

THROATS CUT FROM EAR TO EAR.

An Entire Family Murdered by a Gang of Robbers at Bentsleysville, Pa.—Searching Parties Organized to Hunt Down the Murderers—Attempted Murder of a New York Lawyer—The Wallace Robbery—Suicide at Denver.

WASHINGTON, Pa., May 15.—The back-driver of the stage line running between Washington and Brownsville, arriving here Wednesday afternoon, gives a graphic account of a triple murder at Bentsleysville, this county. John Crouch, a farmer, his wife and son Andrew, aged 35 years, live in the borough of Bentsleysville, were found dead at their home, with their throats cut from ear to ear at an early hour yesterday morning. The son's head was terribly bruised, showing evidence of a struggle with the murderers. All the bodies were cold, indicating that the bloody work had been committed early in the night.

The Crime Committed for Plunder.

The spectacle presented was an awful one, and the apartments of the house wherein the bodies were found were soaked and bespattered with the life's blood of the victims. The appearance of the house showed that a thorough search had been made and there were no signs of the object of the murderers was to obtain plunder, and there must have been several in the party. The Crouch family were among the most respectable and well-to-do people of the community and were usually supposed to have large sums of money about the house. It is not known how to secure large amounts in this way. The knowledge of the discovery spread like lightning. Searching parties were organized, and the adjacent district was scoured in an effort to discover the perpetrators, but no clue to them or any knowledge of their whereabouts has so far been obtained.

Suicide of a Young Man.

DENVER, May 15.—John L. Mosier, Jr., the 23-year-old son of John A. Mosier, a prominent stock man of Colorado and New Mexico, committed suicide in the collar of the family residence about 1 o'clock in the morning. Young Mosier was one of the brightest members of the high school graduating class, and had been elected to participate in a debate. He worked hard on his subject for several days, but when he heard of the death of his mother, he failed, and he was obliged to give up the contest. This so preyed on his mind that he ended his life.

MacLeod Not Implicated.

NEW YORK, May 15.—Inspector Byrnes says that the party who stole the \$50,000 worth of bonds belonging to John Wallace from the Bankers' Safe Deposit company was Robert Wallace, Leslie MacLeod, the associate editor of Wallace's Monthly who was arrested for supposed complicity with Robert L. Wallace, was discharged from custody at the county police court Thursday morning on the ground of insufficient evidence.

A Woman Warned by White Caps.

EATON, Ohio, May 15.—A white-cap notice was given Mrs. Elizabeth J. Nesette to leave town within two days. She is the widow of H. H. Nesette, a prominent citizen of the town. She is now in the town of Eaton, Ohio, and is being threatened by a gang of white-caps. She is now in the town of Eaton, Ohio, and is being threatened by a gang of white-caps.

A New York Lawyer Shot.

NEW YORK, May 15.—Clinton G. Reynolds, of the law firm of Reynolds & Harrison, 69 Wall street, was shot and mortally wounded in his own office by Alphonse J. Scarpone. The murderer's motive was said to be revenge for a suit against him to recover money lost by his husband, and which the young man was not appropriating. Reynolds was hit in the chest.

Given 900 Lashes.

JACKSON, Tenn., May 15.—A Frenchman named Manley was tied up here and J. L. Carson, a well-known citizen, gave him 900 lashes with a horse-whip. He was given a few minutes to get out of town. He will probably die. His offense was an attempted assault on the 9-year old daughter of Mr. Carson, whom he had decoyed into his room by giving her a toy.

Will Have Another Go at Archer.

BALTIMORE, May 15.—The ruling of Judge Stewart Tuesday in the Archer embezzlement case does not satisfy the state's law officers. In the criminal court Wednesday the case against Archer was set for a writ of error in the case, and the record was ordered removed to the court of appeals at once.

His Days Are Numbered.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 15.—Governor Merriam has designated Friday morning, June 27 as the time for the execution of William Brockner. Convicted of murdering William Combs and his wife in Pine county last December.

Settled Their Differences.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 15.—At a conference between the grievance committee of the Northern Pacific firemen and General Manager Melton, all differences were satisfactorily adjusted, and the men have gone home after spending nearly two months in this city. The committee had representatives from every division of the road from St. Paul to the Pacific coast.

A Boy Drowned in a Shower.

READING, Pa., May 15.—During a terrific storm which prevailed here one of the largest of the city sewers caved in, and Robert Keppelman, aged 10 years, was drawn into the opening and drowned. His body has not been recovered. The rainfall was the heaviest for years.

World's Fair Commissioners.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 15.—The governor has made the following appointments of world's fair commissioners for Illinois: Charles Beere and Adila Wing, Chicago. Alternates, Lafayette Funk, Bloomington, Dewitt Smith, Springfield.

Died at the Side of a Deathbed.

HOLLAND, Mich., May 15.—While Peter Vyn, of Overseer was at the bedside of his dying daughter, Mrs. D. Vancensam, at Zeeland, he sank to the floor and expired of heart disease. Vyn was a prominent retired lumberman aged about 60.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Scores on the ball field Wednesday were as follows: League—At Brooklyn—New York 6; Brooklyn 3; at Boston—Boston 1; Philadelphia 7; at St. Louis—St. Louis 6; Philadelphia 6; at Detroit—Boston 4, New York 11; at Buffalo—Buffalo 1, Chicago 4. Western: At Milwaukee—Milwaukee 5, Denver 8; at St. Paul—St. Paul 6, Kansas City 8. American: No games—wet grounds.

An electric street railway will be built in Merrill, Wis.

The strikers at the National Tube works at McKeesport, Pa., marched to the office Wednesday and were paid off in full. There are no indications of an early settlement of the trouble. Twenty-eight hundred men are out.

The Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk Railways will not accept any more grain in bulk. They each claim to have lost \$30,000 monthly by overweight frauds.

Wednesday the delegation appointed by the United States to the celebration of the Governor Fier to make a protest against separating the live stock and horticultural exhibits from the other part of the world's fair.

Chris Cleare, aged 70 years, hanged himself at Montague, Mich., Wednesday while delirious.

Joshua Worrell, an eccentric old bachelor, died at his home at Tallapoosa, Ala., May 6. Wednesday his will was probated and it was found that he had left all of his large estate to an orphan boy whom he had adopted. His relatives will try to break the will.

The threatened strike of the 8,000 men employed in the coke works of Erie & Co. at Scottsdale, Pa., has been averted by a compromise favorable to the men.

Edwin Shipps, a rider in Ringling's circus, was seriously injured during a performance at Independence, Iowa, Wednesday. He fell under his horse's hoofs.

An oil well driller named Charles Spear was killed by being struck in the head by a pair of casing tongs at Lima, Ohio, Wednesday.

The telephone lines at work in India now extend over 33,000 miles, representing no less than 100,000 miles of wire. Last year the net profit was nearly 42 per cent.

Sharks' teeth, which are found in great quantities in the soil of Florida, are being utilized in the manufacture of jewelry.

Charles Athol, of Brownstown, a village in Monroe county, Mich., has built himself a fiddle out of walnut, oak, beech, maple and cedar, containing 5,000 pieces of wood.

In digging a well on Hyde's ranch, near Vinavet, Tulare county, Cal., a buffalo horn was found. It was the skull of a fifteen-year old. How it got there is a puzzle, as no buffaloes were known to have been in that county.

Weekly payments for all working people in New York state will become compulsory on July 1.

At Plunk, N. Y., Wednesday, natural gas was struck in great quantities. The gas was so strong it woke up all the villagers at midnight.

Three conductors and thirteen brakemen on the Milwaukee and Northern struck at Green Bay Wednesday against a reduction of wages.

Among the employees in the service of Queen Victoria is the "queen's ratcatcher," who receives this modest remuneration of £75 a year for keeping the palace free of vermin.

The Czar Receives Minister Smith.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 15.—The czar Wednesday received the new minister of the United States to Russia, Mr. Charles Francis Smith, who presented his credentials. Later in the day Minister Smith and Mrs. Smith were granted an audience by the czar.

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**DEMOCRATIC
COUNTY CONVENTION.**

The democrats of Macon county, Illinois, will meet in county convention on the court house in the city of Deatur, Ill., on SATURDAY, MAY 21, 1930, at 11 o'clock, a. m., for the following purposes:

The election of a delegate to the democratic state convention to be held at Springfield, June 4th, and delegates to be elected to represent the county at the annual convention of the county central committee, and also a precinct committee of five members to act as advisory committee to the members of the county committee for that precinct, who is ex officio chairman of the precinct committee.

The members of the county central committee elect will meet at Deatur on May 31, immediately following the county convention, for the purpose of perfecting organization.

The several precincts in the county will be entitled to delegates as follows on the basis one delegate for each forty votes cast for the county at the last general election, one delegate for each fraction over twenty.

DEATUR NO.	VOTES	DEL.
1	100	1
2	100	1
3	100	1
4	100	1
5	100	1
6	100	1
7	100	1
8	100	1
9	100	1
10	100	1
11	100	1
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THE BLIND ASYLUM.

There is connection among the republicans over the affairs of the Blind Asylum at Jacksonville. It will be remembered that some months ago there was an investigation into the way that institution is managed by Mr. Phillips. There was some suspicious evidence to the effect that one of the children in attendance had been treated cruelly. The testimony in contradiction of the story seemed to be overwhelming, but a few of the big journals in the state were determined not to treat the matter fairly. The story of the boy who claimed bad treatment was the only part of the investigation that could be got into the papers. Foremost among the papers that would not be fair was The Chicago Tribune.

It was said at the time there was a conspiracy among the active patriots to oust Mr. Phillips and put in some man who had more political notions about the way a state institution should be run. There is now evidence at hand that shows the agitators in this matter have always had a weather eye on the political possibilities of the situation.

It seems to be understood that Mr. Phillips shall go; and no sooner is this settled than a fight arises over the choice of his successor. It is whispered that the position of superintendent has been tendered to Mr. Frank H. Hall, of Aurora. The mere whisper has stirred up the politicians at Springfield. They have discovered that Prof. Hall is not a republican in fact that he was at one time the candidate of the greenback party for some state office. Any such record as this will never suit the ringsters who are now doing business at Springfield. They have gone to Fifer with their tale of protest, and now every influence is brought to bear upon the trustees of the institution to induce them to name some other man.

Every honest man in the state has a right to ask these protesters what part politics should play in the management of our public charitable institutions? The father who has a blind child would like to know that when he goes to Jacksonville he shall be put under the care of the best man that can be found for the place. It is related that Prof. Hall is an "eminent educator and an accomplished gentleman." We believe these are the qualifications that should be possessed by the men who will fill the place. But it seems that such things count for nothing, with the men who get inspiration from Tanner and Fifer. They want a man who can be depended on to pull with the gang. Their first inquiry relates to the aspirant's politics; his ability to manage is a secondary consideration. They want a man who can be depended on to pull with the gang. Their first inquiry relates to the aspirant's politics; his ability to manage is a secondary consideration. They want a man who can be depended on to pull with the gang. Their first inquiry relates to the aspirant's politics; his ability to manage is a secondary consideration.

We had something of the same sort in the appointment of a warden for the Joliet penitentiary. The man who got the place was only a political creditor of Tanner and Fifer. He has since shown that as a manager of the prison he is an ill-luminated failure. One of the best wardens in the country was turned out to make room for the new man, whose only knowledge of the management of criminals was gained in his campaign work. Fifer thought this was enough; and to be fair, we should state that Fifer ought to know what the man's opportunities had been.

Now we are to have a man whose experience in taking care of the blind must have been gathered from campaign work. What does an educated and accomplished gentleman know about such matters? Why of course he can know nothing unless he happens to be a republican. The statisticians leave the impression that the Blind Asylum is an

institution for the people and not for the politicians. But what has the spirit of the law to do with the case when its enforcement has been entrusted to men who know only the lowest grade of politics? Both the removal of Mr. Phillips and the protest against Prof. Hall's appointment constitute a very definite answer to that question.

WHY?

During the debate in the House, Wednesday, Congressman Bland offered the following amendment:

After line 14, page 14, the following: "That it shall be lawful for the farmers of each state and county of the United States to organize or establish for themselves such agents as they may deem expedient for the purpose of exporting, selling and exchanging the products of the farms of the United States in foreign markets, and to import free of duty into this country all articles of commerce produced in such foreign markets by the sale or exchange of the farm products of this country. Provided that all subjects of trade or commerce so imported free of duty shall be for use and benefit of the farmers so importing the same, and for their own consumption, and shall not be sold in the markets of this country in competition with like articles on which a duty shall have been paid. That it shall be the duty of the secretary of the treasury to make all needed rules and regulations to properly carry into effect the foregoing provisions relating to the sale and exchange of the products of American farmers in foreign markets."

Of course the amendment was defeated, and that by a strict party vote. The democrats were solidly in favor of it, and the republicans as unanimously against it. Now, we understand the local organs of the republican party to say that it is their grand central wish to procure a market for the farmer, and that the best market in the world. Here was an amendment which would allow the farmer to sell in the market where his goods are highest, and also to buy for his own consumption only, in the market where he could get things cheapest. And the republican party did not hesitate a moment about voting it down. Among other votes against the amendment, you will probably find that of Mr. Rowell. Now why isn't Rowell willing to let the farmer do the best he can? What is his idea of a good market anyway?

Here is what the republican party is doing for the farmer of this country; it forces him to sell in the cheapest market in the world and to buy in the dearest. If any of our people in Macon have doubts about this let them consult the figures that are easily obtainable. The republican party and the barons that are behind it are continually assuring our people that there is no robbery going on. And yet when some man asks that the farmer have permission to give the matter a practical investigation you will find every baron representative in Congress voting nay. Gentlemen, what would you think of the honesty of a storekeeper who would insist that trade with him is the most profitable, but who would put an officer at the door to arrest you should you conclude to experiment with the merchant next door? And yet this is exactly the case between the eastern manufacturer and our farmer.

We are very well aware that such an amendment as the one offered would smash protection into a million pieces; but what? Just because the victims that now must largely support it would then be given freedom. Of course the barons don't want the amendment; and we hope the farmer will acquire why?

WHAT'S UP?

That little scandal concerning Ex-Speaker Cullis in connection with the alleged conduct at the funeral of Senator Beck does not seem to be treasured up against him at the Kentucky capital, where little episodes of that character are not calculated to stick the tender sensibilities of the people, especially those of the democratic persuasion.—The Rep.

"That little scandal" was shown to be a lie several days ago, and the paper from which The Rep. first got its information has made a correction. But of course it is against the patriotic devotion of the South Water street man to make a correction in such a case, or even to let up on the lie. We would like to know if all is lovely in the Deatur republican camp? It is barely possible that The Rep. editor contemplates moving in from the country and running himself for mayor.

Tan folks on South Water had this to say last evening: "A lawyer and a politician and an ex-pension agent posing as an F. M. B. A. man is a sight well calculated to make the angels weep." About six weeks ago The Rep. mentioned that Oglesby had added to his many virtues by becoming a member of the Alliance.

The Rep. claims to have a piece of information to the effect that Palmer wanted to support Gresham two years ago. The information came "only yesterday." Is Frank Faulkner in town again?

Wanted.
Special Correspondent to The Review.
Mrs. Dr. Clark is ill.
Mrs. Dr. Faris is still very sick.
P. H. Brock was here Wednesday.
Mr. Bowen is the guest of Mr. Gilliland.
Mrs. Brock lost a valuable colt last week.
Mrs. Combs was in Deatur Wednesday.
Miss Minnie Hawk visited in Deatur this week.
Mrs. Manda Seelig was in Deatur Wednesday.
Miss Edith Sanders visited in our burg Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hargis and son Ed left here for Farmer City this week.
Charles McElroy is in Springfield where he is working in the Daily News office.
Mrs. Jennie Jacobsen and Mrs. Jane Hunter are here at the bedside of Mr. Dr. Faris.

The men went to work at the coal shaft Wednesday. This was the first coal that had been hoisted since March 7.

Real Estate Transfers.
J. J. Leach to Elam W. Hill, lots 20, 21 and 24, block 4, Walter's addition to the town of Macon; \$300.
James T. Roberts to Andrew S. Crowder, lot 1, block 17, in Moore's addition to Deatur; \$3,000.

John H. Rainey to Elizabeth F. Ward, lot 3, block 11, Carver's addition to Deatur; \$1,650.
W. C. Miller to E. P. Bishop, lot 14, block 2, Millin's Place; \$1,100.
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who has a diseased liver to get it cured at once. The liver is the most important organ of the body, and it is the source of all the life-giving blood. If it is diseased, the whole body will suffer. It is therefore of the utmost importance that you get your liver cured as soon as possible. There is a simple and reliable way to do this, and it is called the "Liver Cure." It is a natural and harmless remedy, and it is sure to give you a permanent cure.

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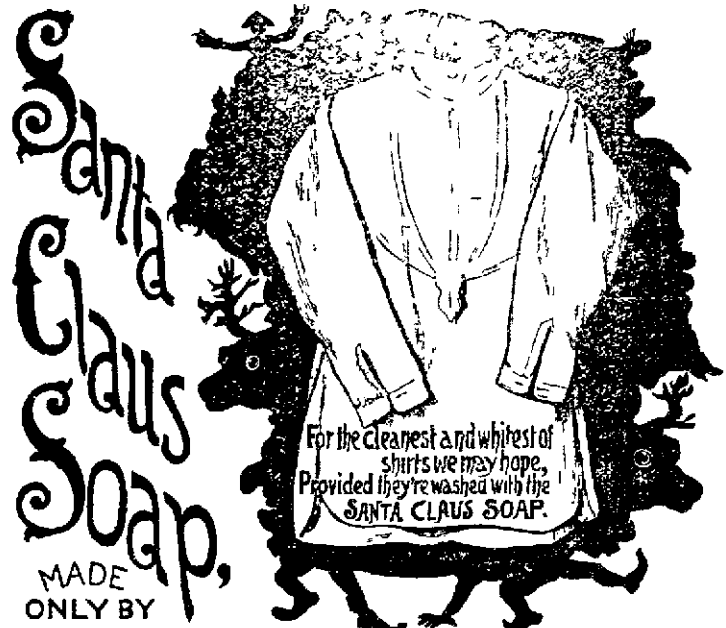
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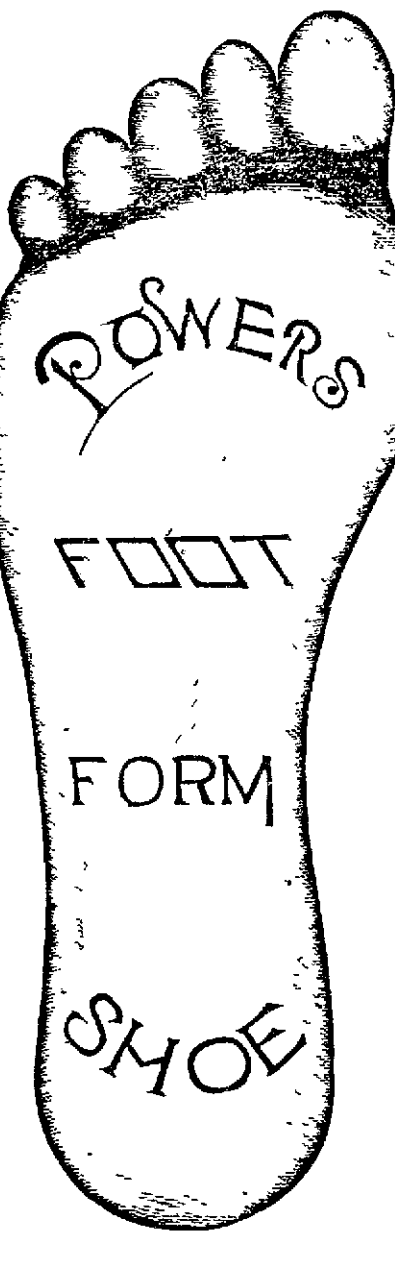
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FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1890.

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Beautiful satines at Linn & Scruggs.
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Buy your bed room suits of Bachman Bros.
Scovill's for stores sold for cash or on easy payments.
Scovill's for parlor goods, sold for cash or on easy payments.
Ladies, bicycle and lawn tennis suits just received, at Linn & Scruggs.
Another crop of Rose potatoes just received at T. W. Cann & Co.
Great bargains in chenille and lace curtains at Linn & Scruggs.
If you want a good, clean, wholesome lunch, go to Henry Bros.
BRAU - French and American satines at TILLU & Linn & Scruggs.
Go to Blank & Grass if you want wall paper, window shades or picture frames.
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FANS, a large assortment suitable for opera or ordinary use at Linn & Scruggs.
For kid glove oranges, the finest in the market, go to Bramble's, 135 North Water street.
Blank & Grass are headquarters for wall paper, window shades, painter and artists' supplies.
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It is \$3.33 \$3.33 \$3.33 saved to buy of Scovill on the easy payment plan. Call and investigate it.
Scovill will sell you anything you want to furnish your house with for cash or on the easy payment plan, 215 south side park.
Prudent housekeepers who want to preserve their reputation as breadmakers, should always use White Foam and White Bread flour.
Wanted—Two thousand brick-layers, carpenters and mechanics to furnish their houses at Scovill's and pay for it on the easy payment plan.
VAN DYKE, new and handsome DRESS TRIMMINGS, just received at Linn & Scruggs.
WALL Fifty thousand rolls in elegant PAPER styles, in all grades at lowest prices at Linn & Scruggs.
Prescott carries a full line of music and musical instruments. Call at this house and see that you can do better than at any other place.
For RENT—Two rooms, one 3x5, one 2x4; suitable for general store. Rooms are in first class condition and good location. Inquire at Argenta bank, Argenta, Ill.
The times are full of more or less gentle showers. They are sent as a reminder for you take your shoes to E. W. Chaudler, in Tabernacle building, for repairs.
We are sole agents for the McKee baby carriage with patent attachments that can't be had on any other carriage. Come and see it. Sold for cash or on time at Scovill's, South Park street.
If you want your rooms papered in short order, remember that Blank & Grass have a large force of paper hangers at their command, which can do your work with neatness and dispatch.
Pay a visit to Blume & Waxenberger's merry-go-round, corner North Water and Central Avenue. The newest and handsomest ever seen. Open every night and Saturday afternoon.
At Bicycle Headquarters, No. 110 and 114 East William street, Library Block, you can purchase wheels of all kinds on weekly or monthly payments; from one to nine months. See our prices.
O. EWING, Manager
Combs' restaurant is one of the oldest established places in Decatur. Go there for your meals and you will be pleased. We are here to stay. European hotel in connection. Opposite Grand Opera House.
We guarantee our Rice Cold Spring Vehicles to be the easiest riding in the world. If after six weeks trial the Rice Cold Spring is not found to be the easiest riding spring you ever used, we will exchange for any other style.
THE SPENCER & LERMAN CO.
Greatly reduced rates via the Wabash to Kansas City, St. Joseph, Ash Grove, Leavenworth, Council Bluffs, Omaha and all points west. Remember the Wabash is the only line running solid trains to Missouri river points. Rates always as low as via any other line. Call on or address F. W. GREENE, Pass. Tkt. Agt. Wabash R. R. Union Depot, Decatur.

Special Rate Land Seekers' Excursions.
On April 22, May 20, September 5 and 23, and October 14, the Wabash railroad company will sell special home seekers' excursion tickets to points in Alabama, Arkansas, Colorado, Dakota, Idaho, Indian Territory, Kansas, Louisiana, Minnesota, Mississippi, Southwest Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Wyoming, Georgia, Florida and Kentucky, at the low rate of one first class ticket for the round trip. Tickets will be limited to 30 days from date of sale. Stop over will be granted. Solid trains consisting of elegant free reclining chair cars and Pullman palace sleeping from Decatur to Missouri river. For rates and all particulars call on or address F. W. GREENE, Pass. and Ticket Agt., Wabash Railroad Co., Decatur.

More Open Letters.

DECATUR, ILL., Feb. 18, 1890

I had been a sufferer with rheumatism for twelve years. Last summer I used two and a half boxes of the Cerrodine Capsules and was completely relieved, and have had no return of rheumatism since. I keep a supply by me in case of a return of rheumatic trouble.

CHARLES MCCUNE,
Millwright at Shellbarger's Mills.

DECATUR, ILL., Feb. 20, 1890

A severe attack of rheumatism in my shoulder and arm was promptly cured by the use of Cerrodine Capsules. I cordially recommend them.

L. R. HART,
Engineer Wabash Railroad.

For particulars apply to the Cerrodine company, 153 South Main

German Baptist Brethren

Annual meetings at Pettie Springs, Mo., and North Manchester, Ind., May 23 to 30, 1890.

For the annual meetings of the German Baptist Brethren, to be held at Pettie Springs, Mo., and North Manchester, Ind., May 23 to 30, the Wabash railroad will sell round trip tickets from Decatur to each place at half fare. Tickets will be on sale May 10 to 27, inclusive, and will be good to return up to and including June 26, 1890.

For tickets and all desired information call on or address F. W. Greene, P. and T. Agt. Wabash depot, Decatur.

A Sensation in Carpets

It will repay any visitor to Decatur to call at Abel's carpet house and inspect the mammoth display of carpets, wall paper, rugs, window shades, paper, mountings, in fact everything that could be desired in their line. The stock runs from the highest and most expensive grade of goods, to goods that they sell for almost nothing, but which are of splendid value. They are now offering extra inducements in prices.

City Closing.

We, the undersigned clothing merchants of Decatur hereby agree to close our place of business at 6 o'clock p. m. after June 1st, Saturday nights and Wabash pay days excepted.

W. E. Ehrman, Muleady & Son, Watson & Moll, James Veale, manager, Ottoburner & Co., A. F. Ross, Ehrman & Bro., Rice Clothing Mfg Co, B. S. Dime Clothing Co, Henry Bachrach, John Irwin

Car Price Sale

of the largest and best selected stock of cars ever put on sale in this city. Prices, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c and 30c. Worth a great deal more. Come and get them. Bargains in a great variety of new and beautiful dress goods. Bargains in plain and fancy hosiery, Vandyke flannels and embroideries. Inspection solicited. Prices quoted below closed competition. Respectfully,
S. G. HAYCOCK & LEO,
141 East Main street

Ask Your Friends About It

Your distressing cough can be cured. We know it because Kemp's Balsam with the past few years has cured so many coughs and colds in this community. It is remarkable for its quick action. Ask some friend who has used it what he thinks of Kemp's Balsam. There is no medicine so pure, none so effective. Large bottle 50c and \$1 at all drug stores. Sample bottle free.

Pernicious Effects of Tobacco.

Dr. Elm's Remedy is the only antidote against the influence of tobacco which the smoker or chewer of the weed has, and it should be taken regularly to prevent the habit from becoming diseased. Descriptive treatise with each bottle, or address Mack Drug Co., N. Y. Sold by leading druggists.

100 Ladies Wanted

And 100 men to call on any druggist for a free trial package of Lane's Family Medicine, the great root and herb remedy, discovered by Dr. S. H. Lane while on the Rocky Mountains. For disease of the Blood, Liver and Kidneys it is a positive cure. For constipation and clearing up the complexion it does wonders. It is the best spring medicine known. Large size package 50 cents. At all druggists.

Texas Spring Palace, Ft. Worth, Tex.

On May 8, 12, 15, 19, 22, 26 and 29, the Wabash will sell round trip tickets for the lowest first class fare, tickets are good returning up to and including June 30. For information regarding routes rates, etc., call on or address F. W. Greene, passenger ticket agent, Wabash depot.

Syrup of Figs.

Produced from the laxative and nutritious juice of California figs, combined with the medicinal virtues of plants known to be most beneficial to the human system, acts gently, on the bowels, liver and bowels, effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds and headaches, and curing habitual constipation.

Children Cry for it

If a child will take a medicine with pleasure, you may know that it is not in any way offensive to the taste. Children like Hamburg Figs, and it is no longer necessary to disgust them with castor oil. 25 cents Dose, one fig. Mack Drug company, N. Y.

Money to Loan

At all times on real, personal or chattel security. We buy and sell notes.
LAWRENCE & HANKINS,
138 Merchant St., over Mueller & Sons.

For Rent.

The two fine office rooms over office of Pratt & Co., northwest corner of North Main and West Prairie streets. Inquire at office of Pratt & Co.

Largest Stock and Plain Figures.

All goods marked in plain figures at Muleady & Son's. Perfect fits guaranteed. Largest stock in the city.

The Last Lecture

of the season at the Baptist church Friday evening: "Savonarola," by Dr. Gussaulus.

Dear Dr. Gussaulus,

the most eloquent of Chicago pulpit orators, at the Baptist church Friday evening.

Bicycle Headquarters.

No. 110 and 114 William street, in Library block. Wheels to rent to responsible parties.
O. EWING, Manager.

CALL AND SEE BACHMAN'S BABY

Buggies, largest line in the city.

Special Correspondence to The Review.

John Fiora was in Lovington Saturday.

Moses Sherman was in Lovington last week.

Mrs. A. B. Lynn visited in Bethany Tuesday.

James Southern of Lovington was in town Sunday.

C. N. Twaddell returned home from Sullivan Tuesday.

O. B. Lowe of Bethany was in town Friday of last week.

James and William Winnings were in Decatur Monday.

Charles Murray and wife, of Casner, attended the festival.

Scott Winnings, of Decatur, was seen on our streets Monday.

Sunday school was organized at the Christian church Sunday.

Mrs. O. P. Shreve and daughter were in Lovington last week.

Blanche Stivers, of Bethany, is visiting her sister at A. B. Lynn's.

Mrs. M. Sherman and daughter Mary were in Lovington Monday.

Several persons from Lovington attended the festival here Friday night.

Miss Amy Ault attended the silver medal contest at Casner Friday night.

Thomas Cook, who has been visiting with A. B. Lynn and family for some time, returned to his home at Irwin, Monday.

The festival Friday night was a success, although the weather was not very agreeable. The proceeds of the evening were \$17 05.

Northwest Decatur

Improving and beautifying the homes seems to be all the go here.

Lute Barber, of La Place, a former resident of Northwest Decatur, visited his many friends yesterday. Come again, Mr. B.

Kirby Hedrick, of Bath county, Ky., is visiting his uncle, Ace Kincaid, and will probably make this his future home.

D. O. Kincaid has just bought a lot from Mack Irwin, and we suppose a house will be erected very soon.

We call the attention of the young and old people to the fact that our walks are in fine shape for promenading, and many are seen every Sunday afternoon on their grand rounds. Come out and see us. This is getting to be the best part of Decatur.

A lady who once lived on North Calhoun street was out for a walk with her husband last week, and was surprised to see so large a town. She did not recognize her old home.

The road scraper was out on North Calhoun street yesterday and scraped all the dirt off the street's onto the crossings.

A good job is awaiting some man with a shovel. The gun club will meet Saturday evening week, for practice.

Those social gatherings of the past winter have ceased.

Everybody in this part of the city is in favor of the miners receiving what they demand for digging coal.

Marion

Special Correspondence to The Review.

Clarence Siglet went to Mackinaw Tuesday.

Jason Rogers, of Decatur, was in town Monday.

Hummer Fry returned from Lovington Saturday.

G. W. Hughes, of Clinton, was in Marion Wednesday.

Mrs. J. H. Liston, of Lovington, is visiting in the city.

Joe Hill has severed his connection with the I. O. R. T.

Jacob Rutter, of Springfield, spent Sunday with friends in Marion.

The Marion baseball club will cross bats with Kenna's again next week.

C. W. Palmer, a former resident of Marion, now of Denver, Col., was in the city Monday.

Miss Lou Wyckoff of Sydney, O., and Miss D. Kennedy of Decatur, are visiting the family of J. I. McKinnon this week.

H. E. Kent has fitted up the cellar under the bank of Crocker, Linn & Co., and will conduct an undertaking and furniture business.

Fastest Time on Record

On Monday, May 13, 1890, the Terre Haute & Peoria railroad will change the time of their train going west, and will leave Decatur at 12 o'clock noon. This train will connect at Peoria with the fast train of the C, B & Q railroad, which arrives at Lincoln, Neb., at 4:45 next morning, at Hastings, Neb., at 7:35 next morning, at McCook, Neb., 12 o'clock next day and at Denver, Col., at 6:30 next evening. This is the fastest time ever offered the traveling public to the west, and is several hours faster than by any other route out of Decatur. Passengers are out only one night between Decatur and Denver, Col.

Isn't This Terrible?

In its account of the proceedings of the State Sunday School convention now in session at Jacksonville the Evening Republican says: "The Maccon county delegation is full."

Isn't that perfectly awful? Full, and at a Sunday school convention! How shocking! These be days of madness, my countrymen, but this fact is no excuse for Maccon county's delegation being "full" away from home. The Review covers his shame and blushing face with the mantle of charity and hopes the whole thing is a mistake.

Wilted Garlande.

Charles H. Garland and wife, mention of whose arrest for keeping a house of ill fame was made in yesterday's REVIEW, compromised the case in some way yesterday before Justice Stevens, and a number of young bloods of Decatur breathe freely again. It is understood that the Garlande's agreed to vacate the house, 1027 North Main street, and leave the city within 10 days. They will be permitted to do this or "they will have to face the music," to use the words of one of our officers.

Harvest Fruit

The prospects of the Dependent Pension bill becoming a law being very bright, prospective pensioners are becoming as numerous as people who think they can poke the fire better than the fellow who is handling the poker. At the last meeting of the pension examining board in this city, 22 applicants were examined, and several more were left on the anxious seat until the next meeting.

Marched.

D. A. Biggs, Mt Zion 65

Mrs. Betty Kirkendall, Decatur . . . 49

Walter Veach, Decatur 31

Ruth Haines, Decatur 18

A Workman's Fatal Fall.

While working on an iron bridge being constructed over the Vermillion river at Danville yesterday, John McCune, an expert workman, fell from a derrick and was killed. He lived in Lafayette.

Artists' Ice colors at 5 cents each at Blank & Grass.

Do not fail to examine the elegant line of wall paper and window shades at Blank & Grass' before buying elsewhere.

Dollars Damages is What? C. W. Sigafosse asks of the Wabash Railroad Company

Readers of THE REVIEW will remember the case of Charles Sigafosse, the young Chicagoan arrested by Detective Austin for trespass, recaptured on a warrant sworn out by Detective Ballard and of his dismissal by Justice W. L. Hamner at the preliminary examination. It was stated then that other suits were to follow but as Sigafosse went home, the affair quieted down and has been probably forgotten by the general public. But the end is not yet, as yesterday young Sigafosse, through his attorneys, Buckingham & Schroll, commenced proceedings in the circuit court against William Ballard, Samuel H. Austin, and the Wabash Railroad company for damages in the sum of \$5,000. Considering that the detectives didn't make their charges "stick" against him it has been pretty generally thought that he had a good case against the company and the present proceeding are not unexpected ones.

Dallas City

Special Correspondence to The Review.

Pete Jones is paid jurymen from here this term of court.

Sam Berry is in Sullivan attending the celebrated Curbin case.

John W. Hildings is sojourning in the adjoining towns this week.

Mr. Webster, of Mechanicsburg, is here trying to establish a library.

O. B. Lowe, of Bethany, was here Monday looking up dancer the friends.

Slas Stocks, of Sullivan, was here Wednesday shaking hands with the boys.

B. B. Combs returned his first official duty as justice of the peace here Tuesday.

County Superintendent Peadro visited our schools Friday. He is also looking after the political tensions.

John Upendall and George Perre looked after the arrest of Dora Townsend, a publican at the meeting held in Sullivan Monday.

PLOWING UP STILLS

Michael Duggan wished \$5 and costs Tuesday for plowing in the streets. As soon as liberality went at it again and was returned and brought before the judges. He asked for a continuance which was granted. On his refusal to give bond they put him in the lockup.

City Marshal McClure took his dinner to him Wednesday and while there they had a fight in which Mr. McClure was badly worsted, and the end is not yet.

A WEDDING.

Verter Vaccaro, of Harvey City and Miss Cora Jones, of Dallas City, were married on Wednesday evening at the residence of the bride's parents. About 50 invited guests were present to witness the ceremony. The rooms were handsomely decorated with flowers, and when the guests were assembled, at about 8 o'clock, the groom led his bride into the presence of their many friends and Rev. Griffin of the United Brethren church pronounced the words which made the husband and wife.

The groom is one of the whole community and with a most excellent young lady, soon after the ceremony was performed Mrs. P. A. Jones served a reception which was enjoyed by all. They were the recipients of many kind and useful presents, too numerous to mention.

Good Temper Festival.

The large hall of Decatur lodge was crowded last night and the affair was gratifying in every particular. The program was carried out fully as published in THE REVIEW of yesterday. The Open House orchestra was a leading feature of the entertainment. The reception by Miss Lillian Irwin was persistently cheered, until she was tired with another selection. The quartet consisting of Bert Gahr, Mrs. May McKinnis, Harry Manahan and Miss Sadie McCall, were also heartily cheered and responded to with another song. The recitation by Little Miss Riquay was good. The tabernacle representing the social glass, ending in murder and insanity, was well received. Will Schuman sustained the heavy tragedy. W. N. Andrews made a neat speech in behalf of the police, and D. L. Bunn acted as master of ceremonies. The program was followed by a generally sociable time, and the serving of scarabberries, ice cream and cake. The entire entertainment did great credit to this popular organization.

To The Readers

And Especially the

LADY READERS

OF THE REVIEW.

The manufacturers of "THURPURE" Baking Powder in making their bow to the public desire to frankly state a few important facts.

First—This powder has been adopted and used by the Wholesale Grocers' National association as the best pure cream of tartar Baking Powder made.

Second—We make no extravagant claims or assertions, the quality of the powder is expressed by the name.

Third—We have no words of condemnation for those who use it, there are some powders in the market which are very good, there are far more that are poisonous, we know ours to be pure and of the highest class.

Fourth—Realizing that results alone can give the merit of any article, we believe that "THURPURE" Baking Powder, which is an advancement in modern discovery and science, will furnish results for the house hold never before accomplished, thus proving helpful to the health and popular with the ladies. We respectfully request for this powder a careful trial and are confident that it will obtain precedence over all others in the homes of the people.

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THIS WEEK

Linn & Scruggs

Have placed on sale at prices that will be found cheap.

1 Case of Outing cloth, 30 styles, at 9c

2 Cases Outing cloth, very fine and beautiful styles, at 12 1/2c.

1 Case latest French style fine saten 22c

30 Pieces 60-inch loom table linen, satin stripes, and handsome damask patterns, 56c.

40 Pieces 18 inch all linen crash at 5c a yard

100 Dozen all linen fringed doyles at 27c a dozen.

109 Dozen ladies fine fast black hose double heels and toes at 25c worth 40c.

60 Dozen ladies pin striped hose at 12 1/2c

60 Dozen full regular pin striped hose at 20c

100 Dozen fast black bicycle hose at 25c.

40 Dozen ladies ribbed vests at 9c, seconds.

